

CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 577

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF DONATIONS OR BEQUESTS OF MONEY OR PROPERTY ON THE CITY'S BEHALF

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 35.21.100, the City may by ordinance authorize the acceptance of money or property donated or bequeathed to the City in accordance with the terms of the donation or bequest, if such terms are within the powers granted the City by law; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to authorize the City Manager to accept donations or bequests of money or property on the City's behalf and to designate the appropriate City fund or department to which such money or property shall be allocated;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to RCW 35.21.100, the City Council authorizes the City Manager to accept donations or bequests of money or property on the City's behalf in accordance with the terms of the donation or bequest, if such terms are within the powers granted the City by law. If no terms or conditions are attached to the donation or bequest, the City may expend or use it for any municipal purpose. If the donation or bequest is not in the City's interest, the City Manager may reject it or negotiate different terms. The City Manager shall designate the appropriate City fund or department to which such money or property shall be allocated.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 25TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013, AND SIGNED IN AUTHENTICATION OF ITS PASSAGE THIS 25TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013.

CITY OF BURIEN

/s/ Brian Bennett, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

/s/ Monica Lusk, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

/s/ Craig D. Knutson, City Attorney

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